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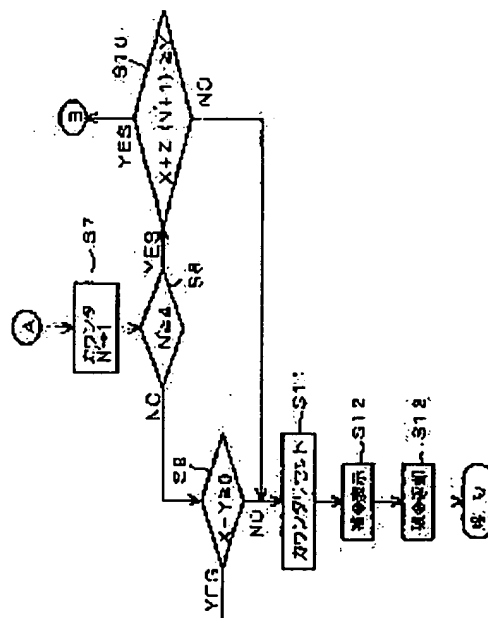
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(57)Abstract:

**SOLUTION:** This machine executes the discount sales of a price  $Z$  per one purchased merchandise when the merchandise of a unit price  $Y$  is consecutively purchased by not less than  $N$ -pieces (on condition that  $N$  is the integer not less than 2), which is the boundary number of discount sales, by the amount of money fed before a merchandise selection button is pressurized. In order to execute this sales, a message that it is possible to sell  $N$ -pieces of merchandise is displayed when the number of sales by the amount fed before the merchandise selection button is



depressed is (N-1) and the balance X is less than the unit price Y but the sum of the balance X and (N×Z) is not less than the unit price Y. Then when the merchandise selection button is actually depressed, the sales operation of N-pieces of merchandise is executed.



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